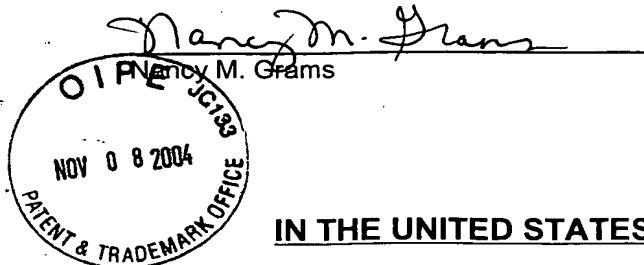


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**AMENDMENT B (for RCE)**

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 8, 2004, on the above-referenced patent application, Applicant(s) respectfully request reconsideration of the application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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